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The Richmond Deputation and the President.
The President was waited on, Saturday by a deputation of Virginia gentlemen who wished him to alter the Amnesty Proclamation by striking out the 13th exception, (the \$20,000 clause.) They represented that this clause interfered with the development of industry by binding up capital, and so oppressed the poor. They said that when they endeavored to borrow money in the Northern or Middle States they were met at once by the objection that perhaps they had over \$20,000, and if they had they could not lend it to them. So they were unable to assist in work, the poor men that called upon them.

The President reminded them that the Amnesty Proclamation did not cause this distrust. It was the commission of treason and the violation of law that did it. The Amnesty Proclamation left these men just where they were before. It did not add any disability to them; if they had committed treason they were amenable to the confiscation law which Congress had passed, and which he, as President, could not alter nor amend. In the Amnesty Proclamation he had offered pardon to some persons, but that did not injure any other persons. Would they like to have the Amnesty Proclamation removed altogether? Would they feel any easier in that case?

One of the deputation.—No. But it would assist us very much if you would extend the benefits of the Proclamation to persons worth over \$20,000.

The President replied that in making that exception he had acted on the natural supposition that men had aided the rebellion according to the extent of their pecuniary means. Did they not know this?

One of the deputation.—No; he didn't know it.

The President.—Why, yes you do; you know perfectly well it was the wealthy men of the South who dragged the people into secession. I lived in the South, and I know how the thing was done. Your State was overwhelmingly opposed to secession, but your rich men used the press and bullies and your little army to force the State into secession.—Take the \$20,000 clause. Suppose a man is worth more than that now the war is over, and the chances are ten to one that he made it out of the rebellion by contracts, &c. We might as well talk plainly about this matter. I don't think that you are so very anxious about relieving the poor. You want this clause removed so as to enable you to make money, don't you? If you are very eager to help the poor why don't you take the surplus over the \$20,000 you own, and give it to them? In that way you'll help them, and bring yourselves within the benefits of the proclamation. I am free to say to you that I think some of you ought to be taxed on all over \$20,000, to help the poor. When I was Military Governor of Tennessee I assessed such taxes on those who had been wealthy leaders of the rebellion, and it had a good effect.

One of the deputation.—It so happens that none of us were leaders. We staid out as long as we could, and were the last to go in.

The President.—Frequently those who went in last were among the worst after they got in. But be that as it may. Understand me, gentlemen, I do not say this personally. I am just speaking of the general working of the matter. I know there has been among some an effort to persuade the people that the Amnesty Proclamation was injuring them, by shutting up capital and keeping work from the poor. It does no such thing. If that is done at all, it is done in consequence of the violation of law and the commission of treason.

The President concluded by saying that he would look at the papers they presented, but so far, he had seen no reason for removing the 13th exception.

The late Admiral Dupont has bequeathed in his will all his prize money, amounting to one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars, to the asylum for the education and relief of the orphan children of the sailors and soldiers of the Republic which is soon to be organized by an act of Congress.

The price of gold is steady at about 140. It fell in June to 128, it rose again to 147, and suddenly fell off to the price at which it now rules. There is great difference of opinion as to its actual value.

A banquet was given to Gen. Sherman, in Louisville on Monday evening. Gen. S. made a speech on the occasion.

Groceries, &c.

J. CLINTON MILBURN'S
FAMILY GROCERY
AND PROVISION STORE,
N. E. Corner of Royal and Cameron Streets
(Opposite City Hotel.)
ALEXANDRIA.

Having taken the store at the above named place, formerly occupied by Samuel Miller, jr., I shall constantly keep on hand the first quality of all articles in my line, such as Fine Teas, Flour, Bacon, Dried Beef, Sugars, Coffee, Syrups, Molasses, Soaps, Starch, Saleratus, Cream Tartar, Macaroni, Spices, Pickles in Bottles and Barrels, Preserved Fruits and Vegetables, Butter, Lard, Cheese, &c., and respectfully solicit an examination of them by my friends and the public generally. I shall sell cheap, and for Cash only.

Country Produce bought and sold.
J. CLINTON MILBURN,
Cor. Cameron and Royal streets,
je 2—1m Opposite the Market.

JUST RECEIVED.

A lot of choice green, black, and Japan TEAS. Stabler's Canned Peaches, very choice; Canned Strawberries, this season's fruit; Virjins and Marseilles SALAD OIL; Crushed, Granulated, Powdered, A, B, & C, SUGARS; Choice Porto Rico do.

Nos. 1, 2, & 3 Mackerel in barrels and kets; Potomac and Scotch HERRINGS; Choice Family and Extra FLOUR, in bbls. and bags; Self raising Flour; Pure Spices; Mustard; Flavoring Extracts; Currants; Raisins; Citron; Jenkin's dried BEEF, pure Ground Coffee; Rice, &c. All of which will be sold as low as the lowest.
JOSEPH T. JANNEY,
je 24—tf Corner of Prince and Pitt sts.

NEW FIRM.

SUSS & HANSEN,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Dealers in Imported
WINES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, &c.,
Have opened at
No. 18, ROYAL STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Having always on hand a SUPERIOR STOCK, at lowest prices, we feel confident that we will give satisfaction, and would respectfully invite our friends and the public, to give us a call.
je 27—3m

HENDERSON BROS.,
Dealers in
Groceries & Provisions

No. 226 King street, corner of Alfred, Have constantly on hand, and daily receiving a large and well selected stock of choice FAMILY GROCERIES & PROVISIONS, of all kinds to which they invite the attention of their friends and the public in general.
feb 7—tf

E. M. WALTON & CO.,
No. 33 KING ST., CORNER OF WATER ST
Sole Agents for the Sale of
P. VALENTINE & SONS
CELEBRATED NEWARK ALE.
To which they invite attention.
jan 3—tf

NOTICE.—The undersigned has this day resumed the Wholesale and Retail GROCERY BUSINESS, at the corner of King and Water streets, and is now receiving a large and general assortment of CHOICE GOODS, which he is prepared to sell as low as any house in the city, and hopes from his experience to merit a share of public patronage.
my 24—tf **J. E. DOUGLASS.**

TEAS! TEAS!

Just received from Philadelphia a lot of fresh TEAS, consisting of fine Gunpowder, Young Hyson, Black and Japan Teas, all of superior quality, and warranted to give satisfaction.
je 2—tf **F. G. SWAINE,**
No. 26 Royal Street.

DAVY & HARMON,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Grocers, Feed and Flour Merchants,
Corner of Prince and Royal Sts.,
jan 19—1y **ALEXANDRIA, VA.**

GREGORY & PAUL,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
GROCERIES, FLOUR AND BACON,
Nos. 27 and 29, King street,
my 1—3m **ALEXANDRIA, VA.**

GROCERIES.
5 hds. P. R., 5 hds. Cuba Sugars, and a general assortment of GROCERIES, for sale by
NATHANIEL BOUSH, & CO.
je 24—tf No. 3 Strand.

Half Chests, very choice, new crop GUN-POWDER TEA.
5 Cases California HOCK WINE, received, this day, and for sale by
je 29—tf **J. E. DOUGLASS.**

SEED POTATOES.

Genuine Mercer, Peach Blow and Jackson Whites, in store and for sale by
je 2—tf **F. G. SWAINE,**
No. 26 Royal Street.

Financial.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK—

Corner of Prince and Water Streets.

Government Bonds,

5 PER CENT TREASURY NOTES,
QUARTERMASTERS' CHECKS

AND

CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS.

BOUGHT.

SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED FOR THE

7 3-10 LOAN.
REVENUE STAMPS FOR SALE.

Collections made on all parts of the United States.

Drafts on Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York.

EXCHANGE ON EUROPE.

Gold, Silver, and Bank Notes bought and sold.
feb 9—tf

JOHN W. BURKE,

BROKER,

No. 29, N. E. Corner King and Water sts.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

7.30 U. S. BONDS FOR SALE.

GOLD, SILVER.

GOVERNMENT CERTIFICATES,
AND UNCURRENT FUNDS,
Bought and Sold.

COLLECTIONS made on all accessible points, and STOCKS bought and sold on commission.
je 21—tf

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Third Series, and last, of this popular loan, for sale, in large or small amounts, at FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Alexandria. je 27—1m

FOR SALE.

\$3,000 VIRGINIA STOCK. Apply at First National Bank.
je 24—tf

REAL ESTATE AGENCY.

All kinds of Real Estate in Virginia bought and sold.

Messrs. HILL & TUCKER, No. 125 King street, Alexandria, have constantly on hand farms and town property for sale in all parts of the State.

They are also authorized to purchase real estate anywhere and in any quantities, on the best market terms.
jy 5—tf

Insurance.

FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.

MARYLAND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
of Baltimore.

Active Cash Capital.....\$200,000.
JOS. K. MILNOR, Secretary. THOS. E. HAMBLETON, President.

MERCHANT'S AND MECHANIC'S
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
of Baltimore.

ISAAC WILLIAMS, Secretary. N. P. CAMPBELL, President.

The undersigned has been appointed agent in Alexandria, for the above reliable companies, and is prepared to issue policies against loss or damage by fire, on all descriptions of property in the city or country, on terms as favorable as those of any other company of equal strength and responsibility.

Applications in writing or by person made at my house, No. 101, Prince street, will receive prompt attention.
je 16—6m **G. I. THOMAS.**

PEABODY FIRE INSURANCE CO.,

OF BALTIMORE.

Persons desirous of effecting INSURANCE in this substantial and reliable company, can do so, on favorable terms, by applying to me, their agent, at my office in the Market Building
my 4—tf **R. JOHNSTON.**

NOTICE.—THE FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, of Alexandria, Va., has resumed business and the public are solicited to make offerings for Insurance.—
Office, 127, King street. A. P. GOVER, President.
C. W. WATTLES, Secretary. je 13—1m

A. D. WARFIELD'S

SILK DYEING AND

Cloth Dressing Establishment,

No. 27, South Fairfax St.,
my 25—1m **ALEXANDRIA, VA.**

WANTED.—A SMALL FARM, of good grass land, with some improvements.—Any one having such may address—
W. F. ROBERTS,
je 6—3t* No. 31, Prince Street.

WOOL purchased by

B. WHEAT,
je 4—tf No. 4, corner Fayette Alley and the River.

For Sale and Rent.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

I offer for sale, a Two Story BRICK DWELLING house, on Union street, between Duke and Wolfe streets, on a lot 25 feet front, and 115 deep. Also,

A BRICK HOUSE, formerly used by me as my Block and Pump factory, but which can be converted into other uses, on Union between Duke and Wolfe streets—on a lot 30 feet front and 26 feet 7 inches deep, with a 12 feet alley, on the south side.

This is valuable property, and could be made available for many purposes. I offer it for sale at a reasonable rate. Persons wishing to purchase can apply to me, for terms, &c.

ROBERT JACKSON,
Union Street.

je 1—1m*

A HANDSOME DWELLING FOR SALE.

The DWELLING HOUSE, at the northeast corner of Prince and Patrick streets, is for sale. The lot is about 40 feet front by 100 deep. The house is of brick, three stories high, with back buildings containing every convenience for a family, such as bath room, wash house, servant's rooms, and spacious kitchen, with a well built two story brick stable, which is plastered, and can be easily used as a kitchen—all built within five years past. Such an opportunity for purchasing a desirable dwelling rarely happens.—For terms, &c., apply to
je 6—tf **JOHN H. BRENT, Esq.**

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND IN

FAIRFAX CO.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by Chester Demming and Eliza Jane, his wife, dated 8th day of September, 1858, I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, the 17th day of July, 1865, (Fairfax county court day) in front of the Sheriff's Office of Fairfax county, at West End, A TRACT OF LAND, containing eighty-three acres, being part of the "Winter Hill" tract, lying on the North side of the Middle turnpike road, near Williams' toll gate.

WM. H. DULANY,
Trustee.

je 17—2awtd

VALUABLE LAND NEAR ALEXANDRIA FOR SALE.

I have for sale, low and on convenient terms, a TRACT of about 320 ACRES of LAND in Fairfax county, about six miles from Alexandria, lying between the Little River Turnpike and the Orange Railroad, and bounded by the Manassas Railroad extension, and the lands of Edsall, Cowling, and others. There is a considerable quantity of wood on the land. This is believed to be the cheapest land in this vicinity, considering the advantages.
my 12—tf **R. JOHNSTON.**

FOR SALE.—The Stock, Fixtures and Good-Will of a RETAIL GROCERY STORE, with dwelling attached. To any one having a small capital, a rare chance is now offered. Nearly two years lease on the place. Also, will be sold, with the place, several articles of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. Satisfactory reasons given for wishing to sell. Reference, B. W. Hunter, Druggist, No. 10 Royal street.
je 5—tf

FOR SALE.—The three-story BRICK TENEMENT and lot of ground at the North west intersection of King and Water streets, fronting on King street 34 feet 5 inches, and on Water street 86 feet, more or less—to the public alley, this is one of the best brick buildings in the city, and a very desirable location for a wholesale business. For terms apply to Henry Cook, 39, King street.
jy 5—1w*

FOR SALE.

TWO FINE BUILDING LOTS, near the corner of King and Water streets. The lots are forty feet each front, and one hundred and fifty feet deep. On one of the lots there is a large warehouse, at present occupied as a Coach Factory. Apply to
my 20—tf **HENRY COOK,**
39, King Street.

FOR RENT.

The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 9, South Fairfax Street, at present occupied by W. H. Wigg. Possession given 9th August next.
Apply to
je 7—eo3w **R. H. MILLER,**
67, King street.

FOR SALE.

A piece of LAND on SUTERS HILL, right hand side of the road called eastern view, containing 4 acres, 2 rods, 64 poles. Persons wishing to purchase the whole or part, thereof, will apply to
je 15—tf **C. C. SMOOT,**

FOR SALE.—The FRAME DWELLING, No. 56, near the corner of Alfred and Queen sts. Apply at the store of
je 12—tf **F. G. SWAINE,**
No. 26, Royal street.

FISH.

New Potomac, Labrador, and Eastport HERRINGS, also No. 1, 2 and 3 MACKEREL, just received and for sale by
je 2—tf **F. G. SWAINE,**
No. 26 Royal Street.

10 Hds. Prime CUBA SUGAR.
10 Bags RIO COFFEE.
Just received and for sale by
je 19—tf **J. E. DOUGLASS.**